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Summarizing budgetary issues in legislation scheduled for the House floor

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SUSPENSION CALENDAR

- 1) Presidential Library Contribution Disclosure Act (H.R. 577). This bill would require any organization established for the purpose of raising funds for the creation of a Presidential archival depository to disclose the sources and amounts of any funds raised. This bill has no budgetary implications.
- 2) Horatio King Post Office Building Designation Act (S. 970). This bill has no budgetary implications.
- 3) Joseph E. Dini Jr. Post Office Designation Act (S. 737). This bill has no budgetary implications.

This resolution has no budgetary implications.

- 4) Correcting a Technical Error in the United States Code (S. 1888). This bill would amend title 18 of the United States Code to correct a technical error in the codification of title 36 of the United States Code. The bill will not increase direct spending (spending not subject to annual appropriations) or reduce revenue.
- 5) Sense of the House on Tax Relief. This resolution expresses the sense of the House of Representatives that the tax relief provided for by the Economic Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2001, passed by a bipartisan majority in Congress, should continue as scheduled. As a simple House resolution, this measure would not increase direct spending or reduce revenue.
- 6) Recognizing and Honoring Jack Shea (H.Res. 340). This resolution recognizes Jack Shea, the Olympic gold medallist in speed skating, for his many contributions to the Nation and to his community throughout his life. The
- resolution has no budgetary implications. 7) Recognizing the 91st Birthday of Ronald Reagan.

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8) Family Sponsor Immigration Act of 2001 (Concur in Senate Amendment) (H.R. 1892). This bill would allow relatives of sponsors of legal immigrants to act, during the admission process, in place of a sponsor who has died. Because making this change could effect receipts in the form of fees, it would have negligible direct spending and revenue implications.

LEGISLATION CONSIDERED UNDER A RULE

Bill: Cyber Security Research and Development Act (H.R. 3394)

Committee: Science

Summary: This bill authorizes appropriations for specific research programs,

related to computer security, at the National Science Foundation [NSF] and the National Institute of Standards and Technology [NIST]. For example, the bill authorizes the NSF to establish a program to award grants to institutions of higher education to establish or improve undergraduate and master's degree programs in computer and network security. It authorizes NSF to expand the activities of the Advanced Technological Education Program support improved education and technical training in fields related to computer and network security. It also authorizes NSF to establish a program to support graduate training in computer and network security at institutions of higher education. The bill would establish the terms and conditions for awarding grants, fellowships, cooperative agreements related to computer security, and would authorize NIST to conduct similar

agreements related to computer security, and would authorize NIST to conduct similar research at its laboratories. For these and other purposes, the bill authorizes the appropriation of \$878 million over the 2002-2007 period, as well as any necessary

amounts to continue certain fellowships and cooperative agreements.

Budget Act: This bill would have no impact on mandatory spending, nor would it increase or decrease

revenue during the period covered by the most recently agreed to budget resolution. It authorizes appropriations that actually would be provided in subsequent appropriations

acts. It will not violate the Congressional Budget Act.

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